



Bulletin of Rule-making Activities

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Pre-proposal Statement of Inquiry – CR-101

- Nothing to report at this time.

Proposed Rule-making Order – CR-102

- Nothing to report at this time.

Expedited Rule making – CR-105

- Nothing to report at this time.

Rule-making Order – CR-103

- **Chapter 173-170 WAC, Agricultural Water Supply Facilities**

The adoption of amendments to this rule are necessary to make good use of the remaining monies and achieve water savings benefiting the state's public waters by: 1) raising the limit of project funding for each public entity from 1.5 million to 2.5 million; 2) exempting loans from the project funding limit once they are fully repaid; 3) allowing projects with significant public benefit to receive a larger portion of funding in grants; 4) restricting funding of emergency projects to loans; 5) allowing funding to be provided to Yakima River Basin Water Enhancement Project (YRBWEP) projects as monies are available; 6) exempting funding of YRBWEP projects from the limit set on project funding; and 7) setting loan interest rates at the beginning of the state fiscal year for loans issued that fiscal year.

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- **Chapter 173-303 WAC, Dangerous Waste Regulations**

The Dangerous Waste Regulations, Chapter 173-303 WAC, set forth waste management standards for generators, transporters, and facilities that treat, store, recycle, or dispose of dangerous waste. The main purpose of this rule making is to adopt a conditional exclusion for controlled substances and pharmaceuticals. Several technical corrections are also adopted.

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Miscellaneous Information

Meeting Notice

- **Advisory Committee Meeting for amendments to Chapter 173-218 WAC – Underground Injection Control Program**

The Underground Injection Control Rule revision advisory committee will be meeting to discuss the draft rule language and guidance materials. The meeting will be held:

April 24, 2003
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Hal Homes Community Center
201 N. Ruby
Ellensburg, WA 98926
(509) 962-7240

For more information about the meeting please contact, Mary Shaleen Hansen at (360) 407-6143, maha461@ecy.wa.gov or visit <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/wq/grndwtr/uic/index.html>.

Rule-making Public Hearings

- Nothing to report at this time

Rule-making Public Workshops

- Nothing to report at this time.